

***SIERRA MADRE POLICE DEPARTMENT
POLICE DEPARTMENT BLOTTER
JULY 13th, 2014 TO JULY 20TH, 2014***

During the week of Sunday, July 13th to Sunday, July 20th, the Sierra Madre Police Department responded to approximately 399 calls for service.

Tuesday, July 15th

At approximately 11:15 am, Sierra Madre Police Department responded to the 630 block of Mariposa Avenue regarding a vandalism report. When Officers arrived, they were informed by the victim that earlier that morning she had left her vehicle parked on the sidewalk and when she arrived home later that afternoon, she noticed two 6 inch scratches on the right rear hatch of the vehicle. It appears an unknown sharp object was used to create the scratches. This case has been forwarded to the Detectives Bureau.

At around 2:15 pm, Sierra Madre Police Department responded to the station front lobby regarding an identity theft report. The victim informed Officers that a few days prior he contacted his bank to check the balance of his account, upon which he discovered an amount of \$153 had been deducted without his knowledge or permission. Through his own investigation, the victim revealed the deduction came from a credit card company to pay for a bill. The victim informed Officers he did not have a credit card open in his name with that company and did not give anyone permission to use his name to open an account. The victim is believed to have had his identity and financial security compromised. This case has been forwarded to the Detectives Bureau.

Wednesday, July 16th

At 9:45 pm, Sierra Madre Police Department responded to the Mariposa Parking Lot regarding a stolen vehicle report. Upon their arrival, Officers were informed by the victim that she parked and locked her vehicle at 3 pm. When the victim returned to her vehicle at around 9:30 pm, she noticed her vehicle was now

parked within two parking spots, with the radio on and a key in the ignition with the doors still locked. The victim stated she only had one key for the vehicle and it was in her possession. Nothing in the vehicle was missing or damaged. When Officers attempted to use the key found in the ignition on the vehicle's door locks, the key would not unlock the doors. This case has been forwarded to the Detectives Bureau.

Friday, July 18th

At approximately 12:47 am, Sierra Madre Police Department responded to the 700 block of W. Highland Ave. regarding a residential burglary. The victims informed Officers that they had been away on vacation for several days, and upon coming home that morning they noticed their bedrooms, closets and a vehicle in their garage had been ransacked. During the investigation, Officers discovered a broken window near the rear of the house. The victims reported a total of approximately \$100,000 in property loss. This case has been forwarded to the Detectives Bureau.